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In response to the Office Communication mailed from the Patent Office on June 1, 2004, Applicants hereby enclose a diskette which contains a corrected Substitute Sequence Listing in computer readable form as required by 37 C.F.R. 1.821(e). Also enclosed is a statement that the content of the enclosed Substitute Sequence Listing appearing at pages 1-12 and the computer readable copy are the same as required under 37 C.F.R. 1.821(f). No new matter has been added.

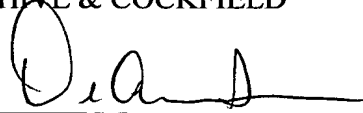
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